

# The silver swan

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Cantus

Quintus

Altus

Tenor

Bassus

The sil - ver swan, who liv - ing had no

The sil - ver swan, who liv - ing had no note, —

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note, When dearh ap-proached un - locked her si - lent

— When death ap-proached un - locked her si - lent

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note, When death ap-proached un - locked her si - lent

note, When death ap-proached un - locked her si - lent, si - lent

throat; Lean - ing her breast a - gainst the reed - y

throat; Lean - ing her breast a - gainst the reed - y shore, Thus

thorat; Lean - ing her breast a - gainst the reed - y shore,

throat; A - gainst the reed - y shore, Thus sung her

throat; Lean - ing her breast a - gainst the reed - y shore,

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shore, Thus sung her first and last, and sung no more:

sung her first and last, and sung no more, no more: Fare - well, all

Thus sung her first and last, and sung no more: Fare -

first and last, and sung no more, and sung no more: Fare

Thus sung her first and last, and sung no more: Fare - well, all

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Fare - well, all joys; O death, come close mine

joys; O death, come close mine eyes; More

- well, all joy; O death, come close mine eyes;

well, all joys; O death, come close mine

joys; O death, come close mine eyes;

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eyes; More geese than swans now live, more fools than wise.

geese than swans now live more fools than wise, than wise.

More geese than swans now live, more fools than wise.

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